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mar2 12m R. B. ESNOUFF, Secretary.

ST. ANDREWS and CALEDONIAN Society meets in their hall, Broughton street, between Government and Broad streets, on the FIRST FRIDAY of every month. All Scotchmen are invited to join.
sep 1-ly WILLIAM SCOTT, Secretary.

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WANTED—A woman to take care of children. Apply to Mrs. D. R. Harris, James Bay. feb7

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TO LET—FURNISHED HOUSE to let. Fine location. For particulars address H., this office. mar10 6t

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FOR RENT.—One or two Rooms to let at Denny's, over Victoria House; splendid light; entrance to rooms in sight at head of stairs. Also Room on ground floor, 33x18 in rear of the Victoria House, entrance Broad street; suitable for sample or work room. Apply to
jan24 tf WM. DENNY.

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FOR SALE—A well stocked chicken ranch within easy distance of this city, together with 4½ years lease and all buildings and fixtures; to be sold cheap. Address to X P. O Box 636 Victoria B. C. mar9-6t

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"Land Registry Ordinance, 1870."

Lot No. 1234 and part of Lot No. 241, Victoria City.

WHEREAS THE CERTIFICATES of Title of William Reid, late of Victoria, Province of British Columbia, to the above mentioned property, bearing date respectively the 3rd day of March, 1864, and the 22nd day of May, 187-, have been lost, and application has been made for duplicates of such Certificates: Notice is therefore hereby given that such duplicates will be issued unless cause be shown to the contrary, in writing, within one month from date hereof.
CHAS. JAS. LEGGATT,
Registrar-General.
Land Registry Office, Victoria,
5th March, 1887. mar5 1m

NOTICE.

THE PARTNERSHIP FORMERLY EXISTing between D. R. Harris and G. Hargreaves as civil engineers under the name of Harris & Hargreaves, was dissolved on the 1st day of January, 1885, since which date the business has been carried on by G. Hargreaves on his own account.
D. R. HARRIS,
G. HARGREAVES.
Witness,
J. E. MARTIN.

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO THE ESTATE of the late George Grant Walker are requested to pay the same, and all persons having claims against the said estate are to send them in to Donald Grant Walker, the Administrator. THORNTON FELL,
Solicitor for the Administrator.
Dated the 7th March, 1887. mar8

POLICE COURT.

(Before Mr. E. Johnson, S. M.)

Samuel Gray, driving over a bridge faster than a walk; fined $2.

Ah Kee, indecently exhibiting himself on the street; remanded for three days and the prisoner admitted to bail.

Ah Fook, in unlawful possession of one chicken; remanded until Monday.

Henry Filmore, carrying a concealed weapon. Prisoner said he had always carried a pistol in Illinois, and always carried one when traveling. Bound over to keep the peace for six months in the sum of $250, or in default thirty days imprisonment, pistol to be returned on security being furnished.

MARINE.

LONDON, March 10.—The steamship Ethiopia for Glasgow arrived off Kildonnan to-day.

THE GREAT BEECHER.

Preparations for the Funeral Which Takes Place To-day.

The Bereaved Family--Resolutions of Condolence Passed.

THE BEECHER FAMILY.

NEW YORK, March 8.—In the sitting room in the back of the house, where the great preacher spent many of the hours of his life, Major Pond this evening was busy engaged in answering many telegrams that were received by Mrs. Beecher. A large number of people called at the house during the evening and left their cards with kind words of condolence. A crowd of people still hovered around the house and gazed in silence at the windows of the room where lay the body of Beecher.

THE PALL-BEARERS

have not yet been selected and will not be made public until the funeral. Members of the family were gathered in the front parlor to-night and received their friends until 4 o'clock, when the house was closed for the night. Mrs. Beecher braced up wonderfully under her heavy affliction. She is calm and composed.

A MASS MEMORIAL MEETING,

in honor of the late Senator John Allan, was held in Brooklyn to-day at the Academy of Music, which was crowded with people. Ex-Mayor Low presided and delivered a brief address. Mr. Beecher was to have participated.

SYMPATHETIC RESOLUTIONS.

ALBANY, N. Y., March 8.—The Assembly to-day appointed a committee to attend the funeral of Beecher, and as a mark of respect, adjourned till to-morrow. In the Senate grief was pronounced. Appropriate resolutions were adopted and an adjournment taken.

BEECHER'S FUNERAL.

The following details of the arrangements made for the funeral were given to the press to-night: The services from the beginning will be under the direction of the Rev. H. Hall, of Holy Trinity Church, who will officiate at the house, where the first services take place on Thursday morning at 9:30 o'clock. At 10:30 the remains will be escorted to the church by the Thirteenth Regiment, of which Beecher was chaplain, and Company C will act as a guard of honor, until the remains are finally transferred to Greenwood cemetery, where they will be placed in the receiving vault to await their final disposition, which will be decided upon later. It has not yet been decided whether the remains will be removed Friday night or Saturday morning. The funeral services are to take place at 11:30 Thursday morning at the church. There will be pall-bearers; but there will be no black drapery in the church nor in the house; nor will the family wear mourning. Many times Beecher has said in his sermons, "strew flowers on my grave, but let no heathenish practice prevail of draping in black as a token of sorrow when a man has passed through death to eternal life."

The Sunday school children of the Home Bethel and the Mayflower schools, all connected with Plymouth Church, will attend in a body in the church at 9 o'clock Friday afternoon. The body will lay in state at the church. The leading clergymen from all parts of the country will be present. It is the wish of the committee to have the remains lie in the church until the citizens of Brooklyn shall have viewed them.

The Logan Memorial committee, in a letter of sympathy, expressed their desire to assist in the ceremonies, and have suggested the holding of service at the Academy of Musice while the services are in progress at Plymount Church. It was decided to adopt the suggestion.

At the meeting of the board of officers of the Thirteenth Regiment of Brooklyn, of which Beecher was chaplain, it was determined to offer a military escort at Beecher's funeral. The aldermen of Brooklyn had a special meeting to-night and passed resolutions providing for the draping of the city buildings and closing of public offices on the day of the funeral.

The municipal council of the Irish National League met to-night and unanimously adopted resolutions expressive of regret at Beecher's death.

THE FUNERAL SERVICES.

NEW YORK, March 10.—When the private services commenced two wreaths of roses, lillies of the valley and smilax were received by Mrs. Col. Beecher. The coffin rested in the centre of the front parlor and was surrounded with banks of fragrant flowers; sweet perfume pervaded the air, and on all sides could be seen floral emblems from friends and admirers of the dead divine. The remains were dressed in a suit of black broad cloth; the features were natural and there was a smile on the face. The long grey air was brushed back over the ears, the same as he wore it when alive. Promptly at 10:30 Rev. Chas. H. Hall, of the Church of the Holy Trinity, entered the house, and soon after entered the front parlor and commenced to read the burial service from the ritual of the Episcopal Church. While the services were in progress in the house Company G, of the 13th Regiment, was drawn up in front of the house. Only members of the family and a few friends were present during the services at the house. None of the family were dressed in black. Mrs. Beecher sat near the remains during the reading of the services and by her side were her sons and daughters and members of their families. She bore up wonderfully well during the ceremony. A few minutes before the remains were carried out of the house to the hearse the sun burst out bright and clear.

NOTHING BUT A PREACHER.

The *Daily News*, commenting upon the death of Beecher, says: He leaves no system, either of theology or of church government. His influence, except as a personal recollection, ends with his life. He was for an American a great expositor of his time. He was a great preacher, and nothing but a preacher.

The *Standard* says: Beecher was one of the comparatively few Americans enjoying a world-wide reputation. Having a peculiar exceptional gift for the ministry his capacity for work was amazing.

Hofer, the famous sculptor, is dead at Stutgart.

The *Telegraph* says: No preacher, no platform orator in America put more intensity of heart into his discourses than the man whose clarion voice rang every Sunday in Plymouth Church. With all his faults—and they were many—it's doubtful if America will ever produce another Beecher.

PRISON WARDENS.

Large Gathering in Detroit---Criminals Look Out--Tracing Adopted.

DETROIT, March 8.—Prison wardens from all parts of the country met at the Russell House in this city to-day, to form an association for the better management, and for tracing of criminals. The name of the new organization is the Wardens Association for the registration of criminals. Its object, as stated in articles of association, is to secure registrating in a central office of the criminal record of prisoners so far as same may be known to the members of this association, and the mutual interchange between prisons of such information, with the view of distinguishing between habitual and occasional offenders, and as an aid to reformatary work in prisons. The officers were elected as follows: President, Capt. Jos Nicholson, Detroit; Vice-Presidents, F. D. Dodge, of Concord, N. H.; James Massie, Toronto; Warren Smith, Lansing, Mich; E. C. Watkins, Ionia, Mich.; Secretary, R. W. McClaughrey, Joliet, Ill.; Treasurer, E. G. Coffin, Columbus, O. Illinois state prison, at Joliet, was decided on as the central office for the first year. Each prison warden belonging to the association is required by law to report each month a list of all the prisoners received during the month who are known, or believe to belong to the criminal class. The secretary will then duplicate such reports and send them to members of the association. The committee also reported in detail a complete system of providing for the restoration and tracing of habitual criminals. The meeting adjourned to meet at Toronto in September 10th, 1887.

Socialism in Chicago.

CHICAGO, March 8.—There was a remarkable scene this afternoon at the bier of the dead wife of anarchist Neebe. While the room was filled with sympathisers of both sex, a little woman bent over the coffin and burst into loud lamentations. With clasped hands and streaming eyes she shouted: "They murdered her! She was murdered by those hangmen. Grinnell and Garey were her executioners! She in her coffin and her husband in jail, both are victims of capitalistic blood-hounds." The people present became highly wrought up and during the remainder of the day in the death chamber there was no cessation of curses against "those hangmen." Before evening a copy of the *Fidebetter Zeitung* arrived containing an article declaring that Mrs. Neebe had died from broken heart, scared by the conviction of her husband. The article concluded as follows: "She and other friends of O. Neebe are the victims of capitalists, and conspirators known as citizens association and of their tools—Grinnell and Gary. They, in conjunction with an odious, lying press, serving enemies of people, have murdered a brave woman and made children, not of age, orphans. They will reap the curse of present and the contempt of the coming generations. The sidewalk in front of Neebe's house was crowded with an excited crowd. A committee has been formed to make arrangements for the funeral and they decided to postpone it, if possible until Sunday, and make it the occasion of a socialistic demonstration.

Pigeon Shooting Match.

PHILADELPHIA, March 8.—A special to the *Record* from Riverton, N. J., says: A shooting match took place here to-day between crack amateur teams of County Westminster, the Kennel Club of Long Island and Riverton Gun Club of Philadelphia. The day was excellent for shooting. The match was between a team of 5 men; 40 live pigeons per man at 30 yards rise, 50 yards boundary; using No. 12 gauge guns. The stake was for $2,000. Club subscribed for by members of team. There was also very heavy betting, and probably not less that $10,000 changed hands on the result. The New York team killing 175 birds against 173 for Philadelphia. This is the second time the Philadelphia team was ever beaten.

They Hold the Fort.

LANCASTER, Pa., March 8.—Wm. Watson and Arthur Green, desperate Welch mountain thieves, confined in the Lancaster County prison, became rebellious this morning and threatened to brain any person who entered their cell, with big oak sticks which they broke from the looms. The keeper thrust a pistol into the cell to intimidate them, when they knocked the weapon from his hand and secured it. They have since held possession of the cells, threatening to shoot at sight any person who comes near, and all attempts so far to dislodge them have failed. An effort will now be made to starve them out.

A Railroad in Trouble.

CLEVELAND, Ohio, March 8.—A decree which provides for the final disposition of the New York, Chicago & St. Louis Railway was entered in the State Circuit Court to-day. Mr. Sherman, counsel for the Central Trust Co., New York, drafted the decree and it was approved by all interested. When the subject was called up in the Circuit Court to-day all the parties to the great suit were represented. The decree approved by the Court provides for the sale of the road at a price not less than $18,000,000. Then the various claims will be paid.

Pendleton to Return.

NEW YORK, March 8.—George H. Pendleton, Minister to Berlin, will start on his return to his post to-morrow. He will sail on the steamer Alert.

THE OCEAN YACHT RACE.

The yacht Coronet was given a trial sail to-day, and as a result of it her commander has notified the owner of the yacht Dauntless that some alterations in the sailing gear of the Coronet are necessary, and postponing the start for the ocean race until Saturday next.

The Manly Art.

BOSTON, March 8.—Kilrain and Lanner fought to-night just outside the city; the latter being knocked out in the eleventh round. Time, 43 minutes. The fight was seen by about twenty persons. Lanner was knocked down in the third round and received terrible blows over left eye which was closed in the last round.

The Baltimore and Ohio.

BALTIMORE, March 9.—President Garrett has maintained the strictest reticence regarding the rumored sale of the Baltimore and Ohio Railway. There are many who fear there is a conviction here that if the road shall pass into other hands the express and telegraph systems will go with it.

Fatal Explosion.

DETROIT, March 8.—A *Free Press* special from Ithaca, Mich., says: The boiler in W. F. Thomson's tube factory exploded this afternoon with terrific force; four men were killed and five seriously injured.

Railway Regulations in Texas.

AUSTIN, Tex., March 8.—In the Senate to-day the House bill to prevent the pooling by railroads and providing for the punishment of railway officials violating this law by a fine of from $5,000 to $20,000 and imprisonment for from six months to two years, was passed without debate. The bill requiring all railway companies operating lines in Texas to give thirty days' notice of reduction, was also passed.

READY, AYE READY!

The Canadian Fleet of Cruisers Expect a Lively Time.

Canada not to Enforce the Retaliatory Measures--A Hoax.

CHICAGO, March 10.—The *Times'* Ottawa special says: Captain Scott of the R. N., and Commodore of the Canadian fleet of fishing cruisers, has arrived here to confer with the Minister of Marine and Fisheries regarding active service for the coming season. He says the fleet will be increased and each vessel will be equipped to meet any emergency. It had been stated that American fishing vessels will come into Canadian waters armed to resist seizure by cruisers. We would be prepared for all eventualities. He expects to have a lively season of it, and even if the regulations are as rigidly enforced this year as last year, he does not expect any falling off in the fleet of American vessels.

A GROSS IMPOSITION.

The same special telegraphs the *Times* that the Minister of Customs, Hon. Mackenzie Bowell, to-day stated with reference to the alleged interview that had been published in the United States and English press in which he is represented as saying that the Dominion government has under consideration a retaliatory bill, methods of which were known and which they proposed laying before Parliament, heavily increasing and in many instances making prohibitory duty on American products coming into Canada, that no such intent is in view to take place and it is a fraud and gross imposition on the newspapers that published it. He stated the fraud had its origin in the same quarter as the bogus draft of the reciprocal treaty between Canada and the United States, which was telegraphed all over the Continent from here last fall.

TIMBER LANDS.

A Committee of the House Recommends a Heavy Advance.

The select committee of the House appointed to enquire into and report upon the timber lands, for the purpose of helping the government in its proposed legislation, on Wednesday made the following important and suggestive report. If the recommendations are carried out they will make the fortunes of numerous speculators:

Your committee, appointed by the House for the purpose of obtaining information with respect to the timber lands of the province, respectfully recommend as follows:

(1.) The price of all timber land shall be $15 per acre, payable within 170 days from date of application, and due precautions should be taken to frame forms of affidavits and applications, setting out that in all cases of application to purchase land at $2.50 per acre, such land is not timber land within the meaning of the act, the act itself containing a definition of what shall be deemed timber land, such affidavit and application, if untrue, to cause forfeiture of land and any money paid in respect thereof.

(2.) All timber cut for milling purposes on any pre-emption taken up after the passing of the act shall pay 20 cents per thousand feet and 15 cents per stump, stumpage, and no timber for sale shall be removed off such pre-emption claim, without permission from some proper officer. On presenting a permit at the saw mills, mill company to retain charges on behalf of the government.

(3.) The rent in all cases for timber purposes to be 25 cents per acre.

(4.) Restrictions to be introduced where a saw mill is not erected in connection with a leased timber claim within one year to forfeit such claim.

(5.) Wild land tax to be raised to 25c. per acre on land suitable for agricultural purposes, and if same be not paid within ten months from date when same becomes due and payable, let such land, or so much thereof as may be necessary, be sold by public auction, conveyance to purchaser to be indefeasible after the expiration of one year from date of such sale by public auction.

All of which is respectfully submitted.
W. NORMAN BOLE, Chairman.

VANCOUVER DISTRICT.

Meeting in Mr. Gordon's Interest at the Royal Oak.

A meeting of the electors in the neighborhood of the Royal Oak hotel was addressed last evening by Mr. D. W. Gordon, the late representative and who is again nominated for the representation of the district in the Commons. There were present at least sixty gentlemen, the large majority of whom were electors. Mr. Wilkinson occupied the chair.

Mr. Gordon, on arising to address the meeting was cordially received. He at great length reviewed the leading questions of the day affecting the Dominion, as well as matters of vital interest to our own province. He briefly alluded to the factious opposition given him. He claimed that he had redeemed every pledge made by him when last seeking their suffrages. In future, as in the past, he would advocate most zealously the interests of the settlers in the district as well as its various requirements—marine or agriculture. He felt that his election was sure but in order to make it doubtly so he urged his friends and supporters to rally to the polls in his favor. The address of Mr. Gordon was well received by the audience, as Mr. Gordon was frequently cheered to the echo. Mr. Carey from Victoria, attempted to interrupt Mr. Gordon, but on being informed that Mr. Carey when a candidate for the district only secured some 30 votes he quietly subsided and nothing further was heard of him during the evening.

Mr. Bunster addressed the meeting in Mr. Planta's interest, but not with acceptance, for he was frequently interrupted by questions being asked him. At last a gentleman arose and asked the speaker if he was a voter in the district and receiving a reply in the negative, that he was not, the audience became restive and Mr. Bunster had to retire.

The usual vote of thanks was passed to the chairman and others, and with three cheers for the Queen, and three and a "tiger" for Gordon the meeting broke up.

DISMISSAL SENSATION

A Draughtsman in the Chatham Naval Yard is Publicly Dismissed.

Believed to Have Given Important Naval Secrets to the United States.

The Dismissal Sensation.

LONDON, March 9.—Commander Chadwick, U. S., a naval attache in London, had an interview this morning with Vice-Admiral Wm. Graham, Comptroller of the Navy, at the Admiralty office, in relation to the statements that Draughtman Ferry, who has been dismissed from the Chatham navy yard had revealed secrets and navy designs to the American legation. The Comptroller said these were merely newspaper assertions, and that as for the stories connecting anybody in the legation with the dock yards treachery, they were entirely false.

SWIFT CENSURE.

The *Telegraph*, commenting on the discharge of draughsman Terry from the Chatham navy yard, says if the charge that the Terry revelations went indirectly to the American legation be true, and it can be proven that the government at Washington surreptitiously tried to bribe British officers to turn traitors, a violent wave of indignation will go over the country. The people of England and the United States are on friendly terms, and there is every desire on our part to maintain these relations. British dock yard officials are willing to show foreigners details of England's naval resources, but the nation desires that all this will be open and above board. Treacherous trafficing in state secrets, when discovered will be visited with swift censure and punishment.

LONDON, March 10.—The *Daily News* commenting on the statement that the Admiralty sent a complete design of the ironclad Agamemnon to Washington at request of the American Government says it is pleasant to be on good terms with Americans, but perhaps on the whole it would be as well if the Admiralty would keep designs to themselves. As regards the Terry affair, the *News* says the matter ought to be thoroughly sifted and prosecuted. We cannot doubt the American government would be able to clear itself of all complication.

Torturing Prisoners.

LONDON, March 9.—The *Journal de St. Petersburg* accuses the Bulgarian dictators, as it calls the regents, of torturing prisoners who took part in the recent revolution, and committing atrocious cruelties under the name of summary executions. "Their revolting brutality," the *Journal* declares, will enlighten public opinion as to the real worth of these pretended defenders of their country. We hope, says the *Journal*, these excesses may insure conviction. There is a time for the termination of the martyrdom of the unfortunate nation which Russia's devotion called into existence, and which is too quiet a European nation to permit it to be surrendered to anarchy. The limit of patience has already been transgressed.

London Gossip.

LONDON, March 8.—A draughtsman named Terry, employed at the Chatham dockyard has been publicly dismissed for selling information.

The army estimates which have just been finished amount to £18,393,000, being an increase of £160,700.

John Morley has written a letter in which he expresses his entire sympathy with the spirit and object of the proposed Imperial institute.

The Holy See.

ROME, March 9.—Cardinal Gibbons shows a marked tendency toward chosing Santa Maria in Trastevere as his titular church. It is the oldest and the most interesting of the Roman basilicas. The Cardinal will take possession probably on the 20th instant.

The Pope is writing an encyclical on Socialism. He will treat concisely of all social problems, distinguishing the good and the lawful from the dangerous and the unchristian combinations.

Execution of Rebels.

RUSTCHUCK, March 8.—The execution of the rebels took place at 3 o'clock on Sunday morning. The condemned stood beside their open graves. Three soldiers detailed for the execution were instructed to fire two shots each from revolvers, so that each of the rebels received six bullets. The public were excluded, only soldiers and officials witnessing the execution. Friends of the dead have since been allowed to minister to the bodies and bury them.

Peace to be Maintained.

VIENNA, March 8.—No protest has yet been made by Russia concerning the execution in Bulgaria of the officers provided with Russian passports. In official circles here it is believed that Russia will not depart from the policy of inaction which she has hitherto pursued.

Emperor Francis Joseph, in conversing with members of the Hungarian Diet today, said he had every confidence that peace would be maintained.

Germany's Budget Bill.

BERLIN, March 9.—In the Reichstag to-day the Budget bill passed its first reading after a debate lasting half an hour. Some of the clauses of the bill were referred to a committee. Herr Jacobi, Secretary of State for the Imperial treasury, announced that the government was not yet in a position to state its proposals for an increase in the revenue of the empire.

The Silistria Revolt.

BUCHAREST, March 9.—It is stated that Handeroff and Grueoff should have led the revolt of the troops at Silistria, but fearing to cross the Danube, owing to flowing ice, sent a fisherman ahead with enclosed instructions for the commander of the garrison. The fisherman either by accident or by design took the papers to the prefect of the town instead of to the commander. The latter hearing the authorities had wind of the plot started the revolt prematurely and thus probably prevented its successful accomplishment.

De Lesseps in Berlin.

BERLIN, March 9.—De Lesseps has arrived here. He was met by Herbetts, French Ambassador, and conducted to the French Embassy. It is stated that part of De Lesseps' mission here is to endeavor to secure Germany's assistance in neutralizing the canal.

A Swell Affair.

LONDON, March 10.—Ex-Senator Dorsey gave a dinner at the Langham Hotel this evening to a number of friends. Consul-General Walker and Russell, Bigelow, Harrison, Horton, Hatch, Sturgis, Reynolds, Sartoris, and wives were among the guests.

Cardinal Gibbons Speaks.

ROME, March 10.—In an interview Cardinal Gibbons said his and Straniero's reports, although published through a wonderful stroke of newspaper enterprise, were in the first instance confidential. The Cardinal said: "I am, and ever shall be, an enemy of the plutocracy of soulless corporations and men. The Catholic Church will take the side of the weaker against the stronger in this instance. There is no question of secret societies. Powderly and many other of the chiefs are good Catholics. Above all I wish it known that there is no essential divergence between myself and the Archbishop of Quebec on the subject."

DeLesseps and the Kaiser.

BERLIN, March 10.—Count DeLesseps was the guest of the Emperor William at supper yesterday evening and sat at the table reserved for the Emperor and Empress, both of whom conversed freely with him during the repast, and bestowed upon him marked attentions. Crown Prince Frederick William, during the supper, reminded DeLesseps that he assisted in the ceremony of the opening of the Suez Canal in 1869.

An Announcement.

LONDON, March 10.—James Ferguson, parliamentary secretary for the Colonial office, stated in the Commons this afternoon that the railway being constructed by the Russian government from the eastern shore of the Caspian Sea has reached Charjini on the River Oxus. He added that the British Government had no reason to believe that Russia was massing troops there.

Who Voted.

BERLIN, March 9—Stanberger's amendment to the Septennate, proposing to change the time of service from seven to three years and which was rejected by a vote of 222 to 23 showed that 88 members abstained from voting; Polish and Alsatian members were absent and the Socialists voted in the minority.

The Stanley Expedition.

CAPETOWN, March 10.—The Stanley expedition for the relief of Emin Bey which left Zanzibar about two weeks ago arrived here last evening and will proceed to-day to the Congo River which Mr. Stanley expects to reach by the 18th inst. The men composing the expedition are all in fine condition.

A Close Vote--Contradiction.

PARIS, March 9.—The Chamber of Deputies to-day rejected, by a vote of 154 against 151, a motion to abolish all duties on cereals.

The *Temps* and the *Journal des Debates*, semi-officially, contradicts the report that a treaty of alliance has been signed by Germany, Austria and Italy.

War Material.

BERLIN, March 10.—*Paletische Nachichten* says the French Government has purchased one million kilograms of ether used in the manufacture of melinite.

An Alliance of the Powers.

LONDON, March 10.—The *Times* publishes a despatch from Vienna positively affirming the alliance between Italy, Germany and Austria has been renewed, but for three instead of five years.

Arrested as a Spy.

LONDON, March 10.—Mr. Williamson, military correspondent of the Manchester *Guardian* has been arrested at Cracow, Austrian-Galicia, as a Russian spy.

The Dread Explosive.

PARIS, March 10.—An explosion of melinite, the new explosive, occurred today in the arsenal at Belfort. Many men were killed and injured.

A Minister Resigns.

MADRID, March 9.—Gen. Castillo has resigned the office of Minister of War, and will be succeeded by Gen. Cassalla.

Nilsson Married.

PARIS, March 10.—Christine Nilsson, the Swedish nightingale, has been married to Count Miranda. It is reported that she will retire from the stage.

A Novelist Dead.

PARIS, March 8.—Paul Henry Corentin, Feval, the French novelist, is dead.

Another Bank Suspends.

ST. JOHN, N.B., March 10.—The private banking firm of McLellan & Co., of this city, has suspended payment temporarily, in consequence of the failure of the Maritime Bank.

Death.

NASSAU, N. H. March 10.—Captain James Beads died here on the sixth inst., of pneumonia.

THE BLOCKADE.

No Mails from the East for Ten Days --A Serious Affair.

Nothing definite has yet been heard from the interior as to when it is probable the beleaguered trains and passengers in the mountains will be able to reach their destinations. As usual all sorts of wild rumors are flying about as to fresh slides and increased troubles, but where or their exact nature none can tell. East bound passengers on the C. P. R. at New Westminster and other mainland points are anxiously waiting for the cry of "all aboard." There is now due at the Victoria office the mails from Toronto, Montreal and other eastern points from the 22d Feb., up to the 3d inst., ten clear days, as well as the Winnipeg and Northwest mails since the morning of the 24th. When all these do arrive the post-office officials will put forward their best efforts to sort up letters and papers in double quick style. It is not unlikely that until the line is cleared eastern mails to and from Victoria will be despatched *via* the Sound. Instructions to that effect may reach the officials here at any moment. The matter now is becoming a serious one for our business men. They have remained quiet longer than people in most places similarly circumstanced would, and an effort should be made to bring through the mail at all hazards, if not by the C. P. R. by making portages and transfers than have it sent by another route.

It is fortunate these interruptions have taken place, for weak or dangerous spots in the line are made apparent, thus enabling the company in future to provide against a recurrence of similar mishaps. Every new road has difficulties to contend against. The C. P. R. so far, has been extremely fortunate in this respect. Every effort is being made to raise the blockade by the company.

The Concerts.

Four new artists are here this week, viz: Ida Campbell and [illegible], serio-comic stars, and [illegible], truly wonderful contortionists, who are received with great applause. [illegible] Gilbert and Minnie Granger are still here to please all.

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VANCOUVER DISTRICT.

The contest in the above district goes on bravely between Messrs. GORDON and PLANTA, both of whom are pronounced Conservatives, and warm adherents of Sir JOHN MACDONALD. We have been unable to comprehend why Mr. GORDON should have been opposed at all, and especially so by one of his own party and political predelictions. None could be more servile to his chief or slavish in his support than was Mr. GORDON during the four years he represented the district. That he worked with commendable zeal in the interests of his constituents, especially so the farming community and rural classes, is universally admitted. The stand taken by Mr. GORDON on the Settlement bill when it came up for discussion in the Commons, in 1884, at the time raised Mr. GORDON in the estimation of a large number of people in this city, on the Island and throughout the province. Mr. GORDON then held, as a great number to-day likewise believe, that it was too much of a give-away. In this respect he was but uttering the sentiments of a large and influential portion of the people of the province, and especially so that of the majority of those in his own district. He had the temerity to voice his convictions, honestly formed, and as fearlessly expressed. For doing so, however, he incurred the wrath and vengeance of Mr. ROBERT DUNSMUIR, who has not been slow in avowing his intention of defeating Mr. GORDON at all hazards—cost what it may. This explains the opposition brought against Mr. GORDON. Neither that gentleman nor Mr. PLANTA are of our political belief. Our opinion therefore of the two men is an entirely independent one. We have repeatedly approved of Mr. GORDON's course in Parliament in so far as the Island and its interests were concerned. On other, and possibly equally important grounds, we have had to differ with him. Nevertheless we are convinced that the interests of the district are much safer in Mr. GORDON's hands than they would be in those of Mr. PLANTA. The former is running in his own interests—his record being his strong ground for appealing for a renewal of the confidence reposed in him in 1882. It is one of which he need not be ashamed, for if every British Columbia representative had been as true to his constituents as Mr. GORDON was, it is likely there would have been little or no opposition to them—in this city at all events. Mr. PLANTA, on the other hand, is believed to be the representative of Mr. DUNSMUIR only. He cannot lay claim to being a more straight-laced Conservative than is Mr. GORDON, nor is he likely to prove to be a more efficient representative in the Island's interest. The one has been tried, and already enjoys a fair record; the other is untried, it is true; but being the tool of one man—the representative of a vast monopoly—it will answer all practical purposes much better if, for the incoming term, he is left at home—as we are confident he will be.

THE prevalent opinion in Wall street seems to be that the European markets having sold out a large portion of their holdings of American securities on the war scare, will soon be anxious to buy them back.

PRESIDENT CLEVELAND went into the veto business extensively a few days since. *Bradstreets* remarks that in spite of a strong effort to secure votes enough to override the President's veto of the Dependent Pension bill, that measure has been buried for this session. The bill was referred after the veto to the House Committee on Invalid Pensions, who reported in favor of its passage over the veto. It was brought to a vote on Thursday last, where there were 175 votes thrown in favor of it and 125 against it. A two-thirds vote in both houses, however, is required to pass a measure over a veto, and consequently the bill was lost. The President's arguments against the bill changed the opinions of 28 members of his own party who had voted in favor of the bill.

THE general savings bank law of New York prohibits trustees of savings banks from having any interests whatever, direct or indirect, in the gains and profits thereof, or from receiving as such, directly or indirectly, any pay or emolument for their services, or from borrowing the funds or deposits of the bank.

ONE of the effects of the Inter-state Commerce bill will be the stoppage of issuing free passes to persons not connected with the service of the company or traveling upon business in which the company had no interest. This view has commended itself to railroad managers who have suffered from the free pass nuisance, and there is doubt that the practice will be greatly curtailed. The railroad men are naturally glad to be rid of the free pass incubus, and without a doubt its removal will be of benefit to the public.

HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY.

First Session of the Fifth Legislative Assembly.

TWENTY-SECOND DAY—CONTINUED.

THE JUBILEE.

Hon. Mr. Davie moved that a select committee be appointed for the purpose of preparing a congratulatory address to Her Most Gracious Majesty, on the occasion of the fiftieth anniversary of Her Majesty's accession to the Throne; such committee to consist of Messrs. Beaven, Baker, and the mover. The mover said that thought remote, it was peculiarly fitting that our province should take cognizance of an event of this kind. We know that Her Majesty has been constitutional monarch and that under her beneficent sway the empire has consolidated and extended. The domestic virtues of our Queen will long remain a source of pride to future generations.

Hon. Mr. Beaven seconded the motion. We would be wanting, he said, in our duty had we allowed the opportunity to pass without sending our congratulations to the Queen, who has been permitted to reach her fiftieth anniversary. As a constitutional monarch she has had no equal, while her domestic virtues were as conspicuous as her position was exalted.

Mr. Bole, speaking to the motion, paid an eloquent tribute to the virtues of Queen Victoria. The reign of Her Most Gracious Majesty was unparalleled in the world, and was the Augustan era of British history. During the fifty years of her reign greater progress has taken place in arts and science than in any other period of the world's history. He referred to the first world's exposition of 1851, the Crimean war, the Indian mutiny, the great American war, the confederation of Canada welded as it was by the construction of the Canadian Pacific Railway, the Franco-Prussian war, as the leading events of Her Majesty's reign during which the duties of her high office were discharged with signal ability. Not alone was she the first lady in the Empire, but she was the exemplary wife and the exemplary mother. (Applause.)

Mr. Grant said that one quality which endeared Her Majesty to the people was her consideration for those in the lower walks of life. He illustrated the truth of this observation by relating an incident which transpired during the Crimean war, in which the kind-heartedness of Her Majesty was manifested with true womanly feeling.

Colonel Baker said we could not help feeling admiration and respect for the many noble qualities of Her Majesty. He added his feelings of intense loyalty to the expressions of the other speakers in voting for the resolution.

Mr. Semlin, as a native-born Canadian, said there was as great loyalty to the empire in this Greater Britain as there was in the lesser Britain at home. (Cheers.) Throughout the whole length and breadth of the empire there was no portion that could boast of a more loyal people than the Dominion of Canada, (Hear, hear,) and no other sovereign was more deserving of that loyalty.

Resolution adopted.

CARIBOO TIMBER.

Mr. Cowan moved: That in the opinion of the House the timber lands in the mining regions of Cariboo district should not be disposed of by sale, by lease, or in any other manner. The mover said the disposal of the timber lands in Cariboo would operate most injuriously to the mining interest, and the miners would thus be compelled to go further back for the timber required in their work.

The motion was seconded by Mr. Mason, supported by Mr. McLeese and Mr. Grant, who held that all timber lands in mining districts should be retained for the miners, and also suggested that the resolution should be extended to all mining districts in the province.

Resolution adopted.

BIENNIAL SESSIONS.

Mr. Dunsmuir asked leave to introduce a bill entitled "An Act to amend the 'Constitution Act, 1871,' so as to provide for biennial sessions of the Legislative Assembly."

Cries of "no, no" and "yes, yes."

The Attorney-General suggested that the introducer explain the bill now.

Mr. Grant wanted the bill discussed, and suggested that it should be permitted to go to a second reading.

Mr. Semlin said it would be scant courtesy to the introducer to throw the bill out at this stage.

Hon. Mr. Beaven said the bill was one that should be introduced by the government.

Mr. Dunsmuir—But you say I am the government. [Laughter.]

Hon. Mr. Beaven—There was no doubt the honorable gentleman was the government, although he did not occupy any official position in the Cabinet.

Mr. Speaker asked that the bill be allowed to stand, to give him an opportunity to look into the point raised by Mr. Beaven, which seemed to him to be well taken.

LAKE DISTRICT RESERVES.

Mr. Anderson asked if there was any land in the Lake District reserved for public purposes? If any, where, how much, and for what purpose?

Hon. Attorney-General—Section 42, containing 86 acres, is recorded upon the official map of Lake District and in the district land register as a "government reserve" without mentioning any specific purpose. Section 74, Lake District, forms part of Hyde Park, Mount Douglas reserve.

LICENSE BILL.

Mr. Bole's license amendment bill was withdrawn.

ABSCONDING DEBTORS.

The absconding debtors bill was read a third time and passed.

TRESPASS BILL.

The House went into committee on Mr. Anderson's bill to prevent trespass on enclosed lands. The entire bill has been published in our columns and its obnoxious provisions are well known to our readers. On the first clause, making it unlawful to carry a gun across an open field, a long and animated debate ensued—the opposition strenuously opposing the enactment, which was characterized by Mr. Bole as an attempt to revive the worst features of the old English law. After a prolonged debate the committee rose without adopting the first clause and reported progress.

DELTA RAILWAY.

The Delta railway incorporation bill (Mr. Orr) passed the second reading.

MARRIED WOMEN'S PROPERTY.

The adoption of report on Mr. Davie's married woman's property bill being called Mr. Ladner moved that it be referred back to committee and that a clause be inserted providing that one third of a husband's property shall be vested in his wife, free from any debts or encumbrances that the husband may incur without her consent.

After considerable discussion the motion was withdrawn and the bill was read a third time.

The House then adjourned.

TO WORKINGMEN EAST.

The Workmen of British Columbia Give Advice to their Co-Laborers in the East.

The Montreal *Herald* publishes the following resolution, passed by L. A. 3107 K. of L., of Victoria, B. C., and endorsed by the labor organizations of New Westminster, Nanaimo and Vancouver city, been handed in by the Secretary of District Assembly 114 of Montreal city for publication:

Resolved, That the Knights of Labor and the workmen of the Province of B. C. deem it their duty to inform the workingmen of the Eastern Provinces of the Dominion, as to the state of the labor market in this province. Monopolists, capitalists and a subservient press, backed by the authorities, who here, more perhaps than elsewhere, seem ever willing to aid capital against labor, have combined to advertise this province as a labor field far beyond its capacity. It is well that it should be known that the greater part of the work on the C. P. P. and also the Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway, has been done by Chinese coolies; that those works are now completed, and that no other public works of any magnitude are being carried on, or are likely to be undertaken for some time to come. The manufacturing industries of British Columbia are very limited. It is of the utmost importance to the workingmen of the east, to be advised of the fact, that a large portion of the laboring men in this Province at present are unable to obtain employment, and but very few can obtain steady work. We therefore deem it our duty to warn all workingmen, be they mechanics or laborers, not to come to this Province, unless they have sufficient means to employ their own labor; and even then, unless they happen to be experienced fishermen, agriculturists or miners, their success is likely to be very doubtful. We by no means wish to undervalue the resources of British Columbia. There are plenty of wild lands, valuable fisheries, and rich undeveloped mines, which offer much promise to men of some means and experience; to all others we say, keep away; at all events for some time; otherwise, not only will you undergo suffering yourselves, but you will make even harder than it is the lot of those who have come before you.

SCENERY IN THE ROCKIES.

Mr. L. R. O'Brien's Latest Pictures—The Glaciers of the Rockies.

The *Globe* says that Mr. L. R. O'Brien must have made the summer of 1886 an extremely profitable one from an artistic point of view if one may judge from the display of Rocky Mountain scenery which now adorns his studio. A large portion of his time was spent in the Selkirks, and even then he found the season all too short to more than make a commencement at using the rich material everywhere within reach in that sublimely picturesque region. As might have been expected, in a locality where he had so much to choose from, Mr. O'Brien selected only the choicest subjects, and the result is a collection of water-colors that would of themselves make a valuable collection. Perhaps the most striking picture in the collection is "The Glacier of the Selkirks." The striking feature of this picture, and that from which it takes its name, is a broad stretch of snow and ice imbedded between lofty peaks, and which represents the accumulations of ages. For centuries it has fed the same mountain streams from its secret depths, and for hundreds of winters its crest has been whitened with mountain snows, but yet it holds its lofty berth as tenaciously as do the flinty towers which flank it. In the foreground is the valley clad in spruce and fir, and intermingled with loose masses of jagged rock, rugged as the sharp spine-like cones of the evergreens, and all contrasting richly with the mellow subdued light of the shadowy valley, with yet a luminous sunlit effect in its upper strata. The treatment of the subject is bold and masterly, with yet a delicate attention to detail, producing an effect at once solemn and restful. Among the other pictures in the collection (all in the same admirable vein) are "Cloud-capped Towers," "Mount Hermit," "Mount Hermit Gracier," "The Selkirk Range," "The Pass of the Selkirks," "A Mountain Road," and "An Evening in the Rockies."

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To the Electors of Vancouver Island District for the House of Commons.

GENTLEMEN,—

I beg to announce myself as a candidate a the ensuing Dominion Election for the representation of your important district in the Parliament of Canada.

I again solicit your confidence as a firm supporter of the Liberal Conservative party, who a wise policy has raised the Dominion of Canada to her present exalted position.

I will hold public meetings wherever I find it possible to do so, of which due notice will be given and at which I will give an account of my stewardship during the four years that I have had the honor of representing you in the House of Commons.

I have the honor to be,
Gentlemen,
Yours truly,
D. W. GORDON.

Nanaimo, Jan. 17th, 1887. jan18dw

To the Electors of Vancouver District.

GENTLEMEN:—Having been requested by a large number of Electors to allow my name to be placed in nomination as Liberal Conservative Candidate for the House of Commons for your large and important District, I respectfully announce myself as Candidate for the favor of your support at the coming election.

I will be pleased to hold public meetings wherever possible as soon as dates can be arranged.

Yours Faithfully,
J. P. PLANTA.

Nanaimo, V. I., Jan. 24th, '87. jan25

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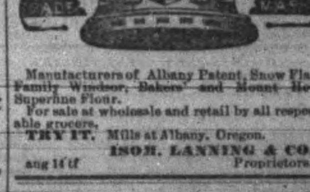
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THE SECRET OF THE SEA.

What is your woe, or who hath done you wrong,
Sorrowful surges wailing up the shore?
"No hope!" ye cry, "Too late!—O, never-more!"—
A chill despair the burden of your song.
To stars and flying clouds the whole night long,
Ye sob your mournful story o'er and o'er:
It echoes through the sea-cave's weedy door,
And gains in anguish as the wind grows strong.

The great Sea-mother, rent with many woes,
Pours out her heart in unavailing tears
For all the evils that remorseless Fate
Has wrought thro' her, these thousand thousand years—
For those whose names is perished—and for those
Whose house is left unto them desolate.

—M. C. Gillington.

Traveling in China.

Between the Nankow pass and the great wall we passed a night at a village similar to Sha-ho, and on leaving it in the morning we met a long string of carts laden with logs about six feet long, and intended to be made into coffins for the natives of Pekin. These logs are cut in Mongolia, 600 miles from the great wall, and consequently must be carried about 700 miles to find a market. The scarcity of wood in the densely populated empire, and therefore, the high price of lumber, together with the necessity of coffins for those who die, render this long transportation remunerative. Some of the men in charge of this wood train are inclined to insolence; they make remarks about us that are evidently the reverse of complimentary, to judge by the laughter that follows them, and the increasing rudeness which threatened at one time to lead to a fight.

It was fortunate that we did not understand Chinese, or we might have been provoked into a disturbance which was the very thing that would have made excuse for thoroughly thrashing, and perhaps killing us. Our guide told them we were English lamas or priests, and the object of our mission was to investigate certain disputed points about the holy places of Mongolia. This well constructed falsehood had the effect of quieting the oriental hoodlums, but peace was only assured by our getting out of the way. European travelers in this part of China are almost invariably hooted at; not infrequently they are stoned and otherwise treated nearly as badly as are the Chinese in San Francisco and other American cities. It is proper to say that some of our insulters had partaken freely of sam-choo, the Chinese equivalent for whisky; it is made from rice, and when new, is fiery enough to suggest as one drinks it that he has swallowed a torch-light procession or a whole Fourth of July. Like whisky it is cheering and inebriating at the same time. It is taken cold by the ordinary native, but the fashionable way is to drink it hot from cups about the size of a lady's thimble. A kettle is placed at the side of the drinker and he pours out as many cups as he likes until his hand becomes unsteady and pouring is no longer possible.—China Cor. New York Star.

The Gypsies' Costume.

Their usual attire is that of the "old clothes man." There is nothing to distinguish them by their dress, which is made up of any kind of wearing apparel that may have come into their possession. The women and girls, while dressing in linen, calico or heavy jeans, frequently adorn themselves with a bright colored ribbon or two, cheap tawdry jewelry and have their head enveloped in a bandana. In some rich communities of gypsies, in the United States, notably at and near Dayton, O., they assume the conventional dress and style of the day. These nomads in various parts of Europe naturally follow the costumes of the people among whom or with whom they are living, but there is no poetry, no romance in the squalid, filthy apparel of the veritable gypsy.

The gypsy of the stage is usually attired like an Italian or Spanish brigand, with short cutaway jacket, flounced shirt, velvet knee breeches, silk stockings, pumps, three cornered hat or a mixture of the turban, his dress sparkling with gold braid, precious stones and Lake Erie diamonds. The gypsy maiden of the same romantic connection has a fleecy white dress or robes of trailing satin, with a bit of ruche and a priceless pearl at her throat and a mantilla thrown about her raven tresses—the style of a dancing or flower girl of southern Europe. Only a dazzling brunette, with flashing black eyes, could successfully personate a gypsy, as the race are universally very dark complexioned, owing principally to the result of their natural aversion to soap and water.—San Francisco Call.

John Roach's Serious Physical Malady.

A prominent physician told me the other day that John Roach has a cancer in his throat similar to that of Gen. Grant. John Roach's trouble has been brought on by causes similar to those which were supposed to have been the reasons for Gen. Grant's disease. Mr. Roach has never been a smoker, but for a number of years he has had a great deal of worry. During the last year and a half he has endured every form of mental distress. Just after his failure he could not be induced, except with difficulty, to eat or sleep. His blood became very low and impoverished, and the result is this cancer. Gen. Grant, before the development of his throat disease, had a bad fall and an attack of rheumatism. His blood was thin and in a low state, and when his great financial troubles came, with the shadow of disgrace behind it, he ate nothing for a long time and barely slept.—Washington Cor. New York World.

The Heat in India.

The editor of Outing has just received from Thomas Stevens, the globe-girdling cyclist, a letter dated Delhi, India, in which he says: "The weather is oppressively hot; journey barely possible this season of the year (August) even by taking things very leisurely." Some idea of the temperature may be imagined when we state that, with every appliance to mitigate the heat in the shape of punkahs, water soaked cuss-cuss tatties, hung across the doorways of the houses, etc., the thermometer indoors often registers 120 degrees for weeks together.

Ancient Britons at Supper.

The ancient Britons did not get much to eat until supper time, and the principal food was a thin cake of bread with chopped meat and broth. The houses were not furnished with tablecloths nor napkins, and the dishes were placed upon the table all at once, upon rushes and fresh grass in large platters or trenchers. While the guests were eating the host and hostess stood up, and took no food till all the company were satisfied.—Boston Budget.

The Queen's Carriage.

Queen Victoria's new carriage is said to be a gorgeous affair. The principal feature of the interior decoration of the vehicle is a design in which the rose, shamrock and thistle are interwoven.—New York Graphic.

Not at All Satisfied.

Virginie had just made her debut at a third rate theatre. It consisted in her appearance on the stage, and saying: "Did madame ring?" The next day she met a newspaper man of her acquaintance, who thus accosted her: "Well, Virginie, how goes it?" Whereupon Virginie, assuming the air of a great actress, remarked: "I am not at all satisfied with the press."—Tid Bits.

A desolate town in the heart of [illegible] bears the somewhat appropriate name of "Total Wreck."

Don't Try to Be Funny.

Corwin of Ohio, "Tom Corwin," as every one called him, was a natural wit, and his reputation as a humorous speaker was better established than that of any other man in congress or in the country. One evening, after he had delivered a speech at a political meeting in Ohio which had been highly complimented, he seemed dissatisfied with himself, and finally said to those around him in his room: "I feel in the mood just now to give a few words of advice to you young men, which I hope may influence your future lives. Let me say to you, in sober earnestness, don't try to be funny, like me. You could doubtless make better clowns than I have made of myself, but don't try. I shall regret to my dying day that I ever said a funny thing. The world will laugh at me; but the world despises the clown at last. I can do nothing else. When a speech is announced to be made by Tom Corwin, everybody expects a clownish performance, and anything else would not be tolerated.

"I am relegated to the circus ring for the rest of my life. Whether I feel serious, sad or happy, it is all the same—it must be a funny speech; and I know it, and I yield to this popular prejudice and clamor, and go on making a fool of myself, and shall continue to do so to the end of my career. The man who talks as I do never gets any credit for any solid attainments; he is never looked upon as a statesman; and if he gets any political preferment it is only as a sort of a joke, and not because he is supposed to be a statesman. If a man could talk funny when he felt like it, and talk sense at other times, or if it were possible to make people understand that he was only cracking a joke to amuse them, it might do; but that is not the way in which the world is constituted. A man must be funny or wise. You may rise higher in the long run to be wise. This reputation of mine hangs about my neck like the body of death. It is the Nemesis which will haunt me to my grave. Shun it while you may." These remarks made a great impression upon the young men to whom they were addressed, and when Mr. Corwin had concluded, they were as silent as though they had been in attendance upon a funeral.—Ben: Perley Poore.

A Boy's Composition.

At a recent meeting of the Old Seminary boys at Indianapolis the following, on a time-stained sheet of paper, was produced and read as a composition of half a century ago, the author being at that time of the tender age of 10 years: "A Eagle and Lion.—A eagle and lion is the King of birds and beasts. They is two kines of eagle, the ball eagle and the gole. There was wunce a gole eagle here on a stemebote and I saw it. Nat Cox kild a ball eagle at the ford tother day. They bill thare nes on the pint of the Aligane mountains, for John Elder tole me so, out of shinny clubs. I wish they was a nes on Noble's hill so we cood git clubs tsy. Wunce a ball eagle took a boy to its nes in pants, and its papa and mamma ran up thar an foun him knockin the young eagles about with a shinny club and whorain fur joy. And that is all about a eagle. Now I will tell you about a lion. Buffin says a lion kin kill a elfant with his pa, and kin ete anything cept injun ruber wax. A lion will ete anybody less his name is dannel. I wish they had cald me dannel, then Ike Key's dog lion cuddent bite me, and that is all about a lion.

"Charles Fletcher, Jun."

A Truthful Diplomat.

When that model merchant, Abbott Lawrence, was at the height of his mercantile prosperity he was offered the post of ambassador to the English court, an elegant compliment to himself personally and to the honorable and influential class of whom he might almost be said to be the head. Before accepting he asked Mr. Everett, who had already occupied the post, "whether there was really any foundation in truth for the ancient epigrammatic jest that an ambassador is a person sent to a foreign government to tell lies for his own, adding that if such was the case his mind was made up; he had never yet told a lie, and he was not going to begin at the age of 56." Mr. Everett told him he could answer for himself as foreign minister; that he had never said a word or written a line which, as far as his own character or that of the government was concerned, he should have been unwilling to see in the newspapers the next day. This explanation, the upright merchant replied, removed one of his scruples.—Dry Goods Chronicle.

Everyday Paris.

I have seen Paris in the height of its imperial splendor, all gilt and tinsel, sawdust and spangles, when the court was a debauch and the government was a stock jobber, and fashion was a strife who could live the fastest; I have seen it in the dust and ashes of national disaster, newly come out of the valley of death, yet wet with blood and tears; and I have seen it a young republic, struggling for existence against every kind of enemy, exterior and interior; and with every change in its fortune it has been the same old seven-and-sixpence, happy-go-lucky, don't-care-a-cent-for-expenses, now-you-see-it-and-now-you-don't, always ready to see company, and just as self-satisfied and lively in one lone chicken feather as in an ostrich plume, singing, laughing, dancing, cheating and courtesying, cajoling and flattering, lending and spending, swearing, fighting, crying, and, in short, enjoying itself; not so rich, perhaps, as it has been, but not a whit diminished in the wondrous shine and flow of its animal spirit. It reveres nobody and venerates nothing.—Henry Watterson.

A Prediction Made by Lafayette.

While Lafayette was leading his army through Virginia during the revolutionary war, he predicted that the vicinity of Charlottesville would at some time be the vineyard of America. He was convinced of this by the appearance of the wild vines and the large amount of fruit they produced. After a hundred years and more there is a prospect that this prediction will be verified. Wine production is now attracting great attention there and promises to become a very profitable industry.—Boston Transcript.

Easy Way of Making Money.

An ingenious Frenchman has discovered an easy way of making a living. He stays in the neighborhood of registry offices and is always ready to serve for a small fee as witness, whoever comes to register a birth, marriage or death. The Englishman who was known to be within call whenever a dinner party numbered thirteen, and something must be done to avert bad luck, had perhaps a more agreeable occupation.—Boston Transcript.

A Great Delicacy.

Skunk meat is a great delicacy for the Chinamen and Siwashes Indians near False creek, British Columbia. The animals are very plentiful in that region, and they are being hunted with great eagerness.

Connecticut is said to be the only state east of Nebraska where an attempt at suicide is not a legal misdemeanor.

It is alleged that more than 5,000 cheap pianos are worked off in New York and Boston every year at sales of household goods, and each one is advertised as "belonging to a lady who is obliged to dispose of this magnificent instrument on account of financial difficulties."—New York Post.

The man who has never suffered any affliction is not reliable.

Land Applications.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of land situated and described as follows:

Commencing at N. E. corner of Section 56 Sooke District, thence due north 60 chains, thence due west 80 chains, thence due south 160 chains to N. E. corner of Section 52, thence in a northeasterly direction to point of commencement.

R. E. JACKSON.

Victoria, B. C. 6th Dec. 1886. dec 6 law-tf

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I intend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 360 acres of land situate at Elk Bay, Sayward District, described as follows:

Commencing at M. King's N. W. corner; thence north 60 chains; thence east 60 chains; thence south 60 chains; thence west 60 chains to point of commencement.

JAS. KING.

Nanaimo, B. C., Jan. 25, 1887. jan26 law 2m

NOTICE is hereby given that I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase one hundred and sixty-eight acres of land situated on Bowen Island, commencing at the northeast corner of J. Ker's claim; thence east fourteen chains; thence south one hundred and twenty chains; thence west fourteen chains; thence north one hundred and twenty chains to point of commencement.

HERBERT A. HARRISON.

Feb. 25th, 1887. feb25 law 2m

NOTICE is hereby given that I intend to make application to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of land situated in the Osoyoos Division, Yale District, described as follows: Commencing at southwest corner of my purchase Block No. 2; thence east 57 chains; thence south 80 chains to Thomas Ellis's purchase; thence west 25 chains to Okanagan Lake, following lake to point of starting. Also commencing at the northwest corner of Lot 155, Group 1; thence north 40 chains; thence east 40 chains; thence south 40 chains; thence west 40 chains to point of commencement. Also commencing at southeast corner of Lot 187; thence north 80 chains; thence east 20 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 20 chains to point of commencement.

ALFRED H. WADE.

February 25, 1887. feb25 law 2m

NOTICE is hereby given that I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of lands, situate at Wellbore Channel, near Thurlow and Hardwicke Islands, and more particularly described as follows: Commencing from post near beach, about half mile north of Darcy Point. Thence running north eighty [80] chains. Thence east eighty [80] chains. Thence south eighty [80] chains. Thence west eighty [80] chains to place of commencement.

T. D. JONES.

Nanaimo, Feb. 12, 1887. Feb18-law-1m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INtend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of Land situate in New Westminster District and described as follows:

Commencing at a stake five miles north of Daisy Lake; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains to point of commencement.

J. KING.

Victoria, B. C. Jany 22 1887. jan 26-law 2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INtend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of Land situate in New Westminster District, and described as follows: Commencing at G. McAllister's N. E. corner; thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains to point of commencement.

Wm. LEWIS.

Victoria, B. C. 22 Jany 1887. jan 26-law 2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INtend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of Land situate in New Westminster District and described as follows: Commencing at Wm. Lewis' S. E. corner; thence east 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains to point of commencement.

L. CASEY.

Victoria, B. C. Jany 22nd 1887. jan 26-law 2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INtend making application to the Chief Commissioners of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of land situate in New Westminster District, and described as follows: Commencing at A. MacPherson's S. W. corner, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to point of commencement.

M. KING.

Victoria, B. C., 22d Jan. 1887. jan26-la-w2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I intend to make application to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for leave to purchase 640 acres of land, situated and described as follows:

Commencing at northwest corner of R. E. Jackson's claim, thence due west 80 chains, more or less, to Sooke river, thence southerly following Sooke river to the north boundary of Section 49, Sooke District: thence N. E. along said boundary line to the northeast corner of said Section 49; thence southerly along the eastern boundaries of Sections 49, 48, 47, 46 Sooke District, thence easterly along the north boundaries of Sections 50, 51, and 52 to western boundary of R. E. Jackson's claim, thence due north to point of commencement.

MATTHEW T. JOHNSTON.

Victoria, B. C., 6th Dec. 1886. dec 6 law-tf

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I intend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of land, situated and described as follows:

Commencing at N. E. corner of R. E. Jackson's claim, thence due north 40 chains, thence due west 160 chains, more or less, to Sooke River, thence southerly along Sooke river 40 chains, thence due east 160 chains to point of commencement.

M. W. TYRWHITT DRAKE.

Victoria, B. C., 6th Dec. 1886. dec 6 law-tf

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I intend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of land situate in New Westminster District and described as commencing at a stake one mile north of Daisy Lake; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains to point of commencement.

G. L. HILL.

Victoria, B.C., Jan. 22, 1887. jan26 law2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase (135) one hundred and thirty five acres, more or less, of pastoral land at the Hot Springs, Kootenay District:—

Commencing at a post planted at the south west corner of land purchased by John T. Galbraith on Hot Spring Creek; thence west (50) fifty chains, more or less, to bank of Columbia River; thence southerly, following the bank of said river, to north west corner of land applied for to purchase by Geo. Geary; thence east (40) forty chains, more or less, along the northern boundary of said land; thence north (30) thirty chains, more or less, to place of commencement.

jan 7-law 2mo K. R. S. CLARK.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INtend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of land situate in New Westminster District, described as follows: Commencing at a stake three miles north of Daisy Lake, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement.

S. CLIFFE.

Victoria, B. C., 22d Jan., 1887. ja26-law-2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I intend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of land situate at Otter Cove, Sayward District, described as follows:

Commencing at a stake on Otter Cove; thence west 60 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east 100 chains to coast line; thence north along coast line to point of commencement.

A. R. JOHNSTON.

Nanaimo, B. C., Jan. 25, 1887. jan26 law 2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I intend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of land situate in New Westminster District and described as commencing at the N. W. corner of G. L. Hill's claim; thence west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence north 80 chains to point of commencement.

GEO. McALLISTER.

Victoria, B. C., Jan. 22, 1887. jan26 law 2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 1280 acres of land at Menzies Bay Sayward District described as follows:

The north east corner post is situated on the north bank of small river running into Menzies Bay, distance about two miles south west from aforesaid Menzies Bay; thence running south 80 chains; thence west 160 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence east 160 chains to point of commencement.

JAS. KING.
E. PRIEST E. C.

Nanaimo, B. C., Jan. 24, 1887. jan 26-law2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INtend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of land situate in New Westminster District, and described as follows: Commencing at J. King's N. W. corner, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement.

ROBT. GRAHAM.

Victoria, B. C., 22d Jan., 1887. ja26-law-2m

Land Applications.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I have applied to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, for a license to cut and carry away timber, from the following sections of land situated on Salmon River, 8½ S. E. ¼ section of section eight North East ¼ section of section Five, Township three containing 200 acres more or less.

dec 22-1mo T. D. JONES.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INtend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of land situate in New Westminster District, as follows: Commencing at S. Cliffe's N. W. corner, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to the point of commencement.

JAS. GRAHAM.

Victoria, B. C., 22d Jan., 1887. ja26-law 2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INtend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of land situate in New Westminster District, described as follows:

Commencing at James Grahams' north east corner stake, thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains to point of commencement.

A. MACPHERSON.

Victoria, B. C. Jany 22 1887. jan 26-law 2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase two hundred acres of land, more or less, situated on the East Coast of Vancouver Island, and described as follows;

Commencing at a stake at the northeast corner of M. C. Ireland's claim, about four miles N. W. of Seymour Rapids; thence running sixty chains west; thence forty chains north; thence 50 chains to beach; thence southwards, following meanderings of shore, to point of commencement.

MORRIS MOSS.

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Arrives at Seattle at	2:30 p.m.
Leaves Seattle at	2:45 p.m.
Arrives at Tacoma at	5:45 p.m.

PACIFIC EXPRESS.

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Leaves Helena at	6:15 p.m.
Leaves Wallula at	10:50 p.m.
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Leaves Portland at	11:00 a.m.
Leaves Tacoma at	4:00 a.m.
Arrives at Seattle at	6:15 a.m.
Leaves Seattle at	7:00 a.m.
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JAMES D. ROBINSON, C. M. C.

City Hall, 5th February, 1887. jan5

NOTICE.

PURSUANT TO AN ORDER OF THE Supreme Court of British Columbia, made in the matter of the estate of Henrietta P. Morgan, late of the city of Victoria, widow, deceased, and in an action "Clark v. Adams," the creditors of the said Henrietta P. Morgan, who died on the 30th day of July, 1886, are on or before the 15th day of March, 1887, to send by post, prepaid, to Mr. James Charles Prevost, Registrar of the Supreme Court, their christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts, and the nature of the securities, if any, held by them, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said order.

Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same before the Registrar of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, at his Chambers, at the Court House, James Bay, Victoria, on Tuesday, the 15th day of March, 1887, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.

Dated this 14th day of February, 1887.

J. P. WALLS,
Langley street, Victoria.
feb16 1m Solicitor for the Plaintiff.

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

Boucherat vs. Muirhead and Carter.

BY ORDER of the Hon. Henry Pering Pellew Crease, one of the Judges of the Supreme Court of British Columbia the undersigned has been appointed Receiver of all the personal estate, effects and credits of Muirhead & Carter. All persons owing any money, or having any securities of or belonging to, or in which the said firm, or either of the members thereof, may have any interest whatever, are forthwith required to pay over or account for the same to

JOHN LANGLEY,
Deputy Sheriff.

Dated Victoria, Feb. 25, 1887. je25

Notice.

MR. GUSTAV LEISER HAS BEEN Admitted as a partner in the business of a Dry Goods Merchant, now carried on by Moses Lenz upon Government Street and the concern will henceforth be known as "LENZ & LEISER."

Victoria, Dec. 4, 1886 MOSES LENZ.
GUSTAV LEISER.

Witness, THEODORE DAVIE.

NO. 140.

A BY-LAW

Respecting the Expenditure of the Municipal Revenue for the Year 1887.

Be it Enacted by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria, as follows:

1. It shall be lawful for the Finance Committee of the said Council to arrange for and obtain a credit by way of overdraft upon current account with the Bank of British North America, to an amount not exceeding in the whole the sum of $30,000, including the now existing overdraft, at rate of interest not exceeding six per cent. per annum.

2. All moneys so overdrawn shall be used for the ordinary current expenditure of the said Corporation, and shall be repaid to the said Bank on or before the thirty-first day of December, 1887, out of the municipal revenue of the said Corporation for the current year.

3. This By-Law may be cited as the "Bank Credit By-Law, 1887."

Passed the Municipal Council the 9th day of February, A. D. 1887.

Re-considered and finally passed the Council this 16th day of February, A. D. 1887.

[L. S] JAMES FELL, Mayor.
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Victoria, Thursday, March 10, 1887.

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—Passenger trains are expected to be running into Vancouver in less than three weeks.

—Photographic views along the line of the C. P. R. in B. C., for sale at R. Maynard's, Douglas St.

—Vancouver city council has appointed ten special policemen, and hopes that the specials will be withdrawn.

—Cheaper than remnants is what the ladies say when they see those Melton Cloths at 20 cents per yard at the Argyle House. *

—Go to the Albion Marble Works for monuments and grave stones at reasonable prices, Gordon street, in rear of Windsor Hotel. J. Fisher, proprietor. *

—A man named William H. Becker is reported to have skedaddled from Nanaimo, leaving behind him a number of creditors, including a fraternal society.

—Workingmen—Note the difference; candidates give you cheap talk, Erskine cheap boots at the corner of Government and Johnson Sts. *

—Messrs. A. R. Johnston & Co., of Nanaimo, have disposed of their branch business at Chemainus to Messrs. Croft & Angus of the Chemainus Saw Mill.

—The Liberals meet to-night in Capt. McCallum's Committee rooms, Denny's block, Broad street. There should be a full attendance, at 8 o'clock sharp.

—In respect to T. B. Humphreys $200 recently garnished, the case will come up before the Chief Justice in the Supreme Court to-morrow.

—The W. C. T. U. will hold an antimum social in Temperance Hall, on Monday evening next. Refreshments will be served; admission 25 cents.

—Dr. A. C. West, dentist, will for the present occupy dental rooms in Hastings' Photographic buildings, Fort street, where his old patrons and all requiring fine dental work, are respectfully invited to call. *

—A suit for damages, wherein the plaintiff is a man who fell and received injuries during the building of a temple of amusement in this city, is spoken of. The defendants are a company. The damages have not yet been stated.

—Consignees per Geo. E. Starr—Canadian Bank of Commerce, Rowbotham, Bossi & G, Elect Lemon & Co, J Levy, J W Moore, J Wilson, R C Mills, Steitz Bros, W Hamilton, W P Sayward, W Eckert.

—The Home Social Club gave their second hop of the season last night in Denny's Hall. The attendance was large and an enjoyable time spent by all. Refreshments were served at midnight. Profs. Oliver and Haynes furnished excellent music.

—M. W. Waitt & Co. have the largest and best assorted stock of musical instruments and merchandise ever imported into the city. Pianos and organs of the best makes always on hand. The latest sheet music and music books kept and constantly arriving. Call and examine. H. Kent, Manager. *

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—Both the New Westminster *Columbian* and the Victoria Times take their defeat in the last elections with good grace. We cannot help but admire the pluck of both journals in expressing boldly their convictions, but are sorry that they were not in accord with public sentiment.—*Vancouver News.* The journals referred to will not quarrel with the above remarks, although they would rather express their sorrow that public sentiment was not in accord with the views they championed. The majority is not always right.

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What a truly beautiful world we live in! Nature gives us grandeur of mountains, glens and oceans, and thousands of means of enjoyment. We can desire no better when in perfect health; but how often majority of people feel like giving it up disheartened, discouraged and worn out with disease, when there is no occasion for this feeling, as every sufferer can easily obtain satisfactory proof, that Green's August Flower, will make them free from disease, as when born. Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint are the direct causes of seventy-five per cent. of such maladies as Biliousness, Indigestion, Sick Headache, Costiveness, Nervous Prostration, Dizziness of the Head, Palpitation of the Heart, and other distressing symptoms. Three doses of August Flower will prove its wonderful effect. Sample bottle 10c. Try it. *

Vancouver County Court.

On Tuesday in the County Court at Vancouver, before Mr. Justice McCreight, the case of John M. Spinks vs. the C. P. Navigation Co., was deposed of. This was an action heard some six months ago and judgment reserved. It was a claim by the plaintiff for the sum of $450, damage sustained to goods while in transit from Victoria to Vancouver. His Lordship delivered judgment for the defendants with costs, but gave the plaintiff the right to appeal to the Supreme Court in order to decide the question whether the defendant company, as common carriers, had the right to contract themselves out of their liability for damage to goods when they made an agreement to ship the same.

Returned to Esquimalt.

The ship Solitaire, Capt. Sewell, coal laden for San Francisco, a few days ago sailed for her destination but found the weather so rough at Cape Flattery that the captain decided to return. Yesterday she was again towed out by the tug Alexander but was again compelled to turn back on the same account and is now lying in Esquimalt harbor.

CONVICTED.

The Organ of Three Virtues Convicted Out of its Own Mouth.

The organ of three virtues—Brag, Swagger and Inflation—has, for some time past, been harping on the musical subject of The Times' dispatches being "garbled" and untruthful. On Tuesday afternoon, about 4:30 p. m., we received a splendid batch of eastern Canadian and Winnipeg news by C. P. R. wire, but as our forms for the issue of that day were made up we were compelled, much against our wishes, to hold them over. Last evening they appeared and proved such a delicate morsel that the *Colonist* was envious and scissored them bodily from The Times, and lo! they appeared this morning in the organ of three virtues. For piracy this is unequalled; but why, if our dispatches are branded as "garbled" and untruthful by the organ, should they steal them when they (of the organ) claim to be "reliable" and "always in advance" journal? Ah! my boy, there's the rub. A discerning public can see through the game and despicable tactics of the *Colonist*.

Mock Parliament Election.

A large audience was in attendance last evening, notwithstanding the inclement state of the weather, to witness the election of members to the new House. The meeting commenced at 7:30, with Mr. Noah Shakespeare in the chair. The chairman called upon the first candidate to address the electors, and they continued to place their former actions in the best light possible, and to lend their respective parties till time was called. The speech of the evening was delivered by Mr. Jas. Hastie, leader of the opposition, and member elect for Victoria city. Mr. Noah Shakespeare, member elect for Nanaimo, came out on the government ticket, but to the surprise of all, suddenly flopped over to the opposition, charging the government with having brought the country to the verge of ruin, and accused the premier of being incompetent. The hon. gentleman concluded by asking all friends of good government to vote for the opposition. On a vote being taken, the opposition were declared in the majority by 19 to 9. The following is the result: Comox, R P McLennan, 56; Cassiar, J M Duval, 44; New Westminster, ——, 55; Vancouver, J N Muir, 43; Kootenay, J B Ferguson, 57; Esquimalt, James Hutcheson, 42; A B Erskine, 46; Lillooet, W M Brown, 46, B Williams, 57; Nanaimo, N Shakespeare, 57, W F Patten, 44; Cowichan, R A Anderson, 48, A Grant, 52; Cariboo, John Jessop, 48, D Ballantyne, 52, E Rendell, 44; Yale, T G Raymor, 43, R C Fawcett, 45, Albert Clyde, 48; Victoria City, R T Williams, 39, Jas Hastie, 59, C Spencer, 56, J S Shopland, 49.

The Postal Telegraph Line.

The Postal Telegraph service of Messrs. Mackay, Bennett and others, in connection with the Canadian Pacific line and that of the Baltimore and Ohio is now complet from ocean to ocean in America and in Europe. Between Portland and all points east the service has been in force for some time. To San Francisco regular business is not yet solicited. By the 15th inst., it is expected the company will be in a position to transact business from that city. The Times learns that the New Westminister office is likely to become one the most important in the west outside of Chicago. The staff will embrace a force of 12 or 15 men well up in their work, rapid transmitters and receivers. The office will be open night and day without interruption. The day and night forces will be put on in different relays. To Portland and San Francisco there are two direct wires; a single one to Seattle; one duplex instrument to Winnipeg, as well as a single line; one direct wire to Kamloops and one also to Victoria. The instruments and all apparatus used are of the latest and most approved style. The whole service in British possessions west of Donald is under the management of Supt. James Wilson, whose headquarters will be New Westminster, as in the past. There will be a keen tussle for business between the W. U. line and the postal service. Rates already, to competing points, are greatly reduced—a matter of advantage to the public requiring to use the wires.

The Island Railway.

The recent severe rains have affected the Island railway road bed in many parts, but not to any serious extent. The sudden rushing of small cataracts down the mountain sides has had the effect of injuring culverts and trestle work. The south bound train from Nanaimo on Tuesday was unable to reach its destination in consequence of a portion of the trestle work spanning the ravine near Goldstream having been displaced. The section men observed the damage in time to signal the train ere it reached the scene of danger. A hand car was dispatched to the city for relief, and at about 10 o'clock a train was run out from the city, on board of which were Supt. Hunter, Mr. Prior and other, who took the precaution to provide provisions and refreshments for the lady passengers and children on board. A transfer of passengers, baggage, mail and express matter was made from the Nanaimo train. This done the train backed to Russell's station, which was reached at 11 o'clock, some seven hours behind time. There was only a couple of carriages awaiting the arrival of the train. Many of the passengers had to foot it into the city amidst a drenching shower of rain. Yesterday and to-day the movements of the trains are on schedule time.

Obituary.

Mr. H. C. Wilson, tinsmith, died this morning at 7 o'clock, after an illness of several weeks. Deceased was a native of Gosport, Hampshire, England, but came to this Province many years ago. He was only thirty-two years of age, and leaves a wife and child to lament his untimely death.

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HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY.

First Session of the Fifth Legislative Assembly.

TWENTY-FOURTH DAY.

Thursday, March 10th.

The Speaker took the chair at 2:20 p.m. Prayers by Rev. Dr. Reid.

THE MINERAL ACT.

Mr. Beaven introduced a bill entitled "An Act respecting the 'Mineral Act, 1884,' and the 'Mineral Amendment Act, 1886,'" which was read a first time.

LIEN ACT.

Mr. Stennouse introduced a bill entitled "An Act to amend the 'Lien Act, 1879,'" which was read a first time.

CORRUPT PROCESS.

Mr. Orr moved: "Whereas the election of members to the Legislative Assembly took place on the 7th of July last, and the Hon. John Robson, Provincial Secretary, Minister of Finance and Agriculture, and Minister of Mines, was a candidate for election to represent the district of New Westminster; and whereas the documents submitted by the Public Accounts Committee show that the said John Robson acted as Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, and gave orders for the expenditure of large sums of public money upon the roads and bridges throughout the district, during the time he was traveling through the constituency soliciting the votes and support of the electors, and that such orders were recognized by the Lands and Works Department, and the money was paid out of the treasury. This House is of opinion that the said John Robson has been guilty of using undue influence in order to procure his election in this Assembly, and has acted in the capacity of Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works without the authority the Statute provides, and has proved himself an improper person to act as a member of the Executive Council and an adviser of His Honor the Lieut.-Governor." In moving this resolution, Mr. Orr quoted the statute bearing upon corrupt practices at elections. It was found by the public accounts that the Provincial Secretary had used the position which he occupied, by tendering money to the electors in contravention of the law. Public works were placed under the control of the Chief Commissioner of Public Works and his deputy, but the duties of that office had been corruptly assumed by the Provincial Secretary, who had used undue influence by tendering to the people of New Westminster, during the canvass, sums of money, in one case over $1,000, ostensibly for road work, but in reality to influence the election. The manner of proceedure was to call the people together and ask them to prepare a list of their wants which would be granted in the order of their importance, as fixed by the ratepayers. The Provincial Secretary would then propose to talk politics, and told the people that if they did not elect him and other supporters of the government, the money they had asked for could not be granted. It was a clear attempt to purchase the votes of the electors, and was unquestionably an infringement of the law. Affidavits could be produced from residents of the district in substantiation of the truthfulness of these statements.

Mr. Ladner seconded the motion. The act of the Provincial Secretary was the talk of the whole country. The hon. gentleman denied that he had had told the electors that if they did not elect two supporters of the government they could not expect to get their share of government money. He (Mr. Ladner) reiterated the statement, as he had heard him make use of such remarks on several occasions. He further had told the people that if they supported the government they would get their share of the $102,000 dry dock refund.

When our report left the Assembly the Hon. John Robson was speaking to the motion in his characteristic style.

A CARD.

The Honorable T. B. Humphreys to the 388 Electors who Voted for Him.

Gentlemen,—My first and best thanks are due to you who stood true and voted for me at the recent election. I say this without prejudice, or remote unfriendliness to those who could not vote for me, as well as to those who, by pressure, were induced or forced, to vote against me.

In the midst of an exciting political race many things are said which, upon reflection, one would rather have left unsaid.

The victory, however, of my opponents is not one of unmixed glory. In saying this I have no desire to couple the respectable men who voted against me, with the cowardly and libelous malignity with which the *Colonist* newspaper assailed my private character.

Dirt throwing in politics is a very reprehensible game to play, and a sorry piece of business at best. I have instructed counsel to proceed against the proprietors of the *Colonist* newspaper for libel; and it now remains to be seen whether the law and the courts of the province are sufficiently powerful to redress private wrongs, and protect citizens from the assaults which are periodically showered upon our heads to shock and scandalize the community.

Thanking you, one and all, for the handsome vote you gave me, and hoping we may meet again in "Philippi"

I am, with sincere respect, yours,

T. B. Humphreys.

Victoria, March 10, 1887.

Sympathetic.

Much sympathy is felt for the beleaguered passengers in the mountains, especially so for those whose mission to the east is of a most tender nature. One gentleman in particular, a perfect "lady killer" in local circles here, in consequence of the immensity of his auburn moustache but whose *heart* belonged to a lady fair in the east, has the sympathy of many who have been that way fixed themselves "way back east." The day had been fixed for in next week in which the twain were to be made one. When he may reach his chosen one is now a problem that haunts him by night as well as by day. He is accompanied by many east bound business men. Their headquarters when last heard from was at Kamloops.

To-Day's Times

Is unquestionably the finest specimen of a news paper that has yet been issued from a Victoria press. A glance at the telegraphic news on the first page will convince the most skeptical of the truthfulness of this assertion. This is exactly what we would like to lay before our readers every evening. The telegraph account of The Times for the last four weeks is heavier than that paid by any other journal north of Portland, or west of Winnipeg. Our efforts to serve the public are being appreciated for the city circulation is gradually increasing. The Times should be found in every house and fireside in the city. Delivered in any part within the limits for 25 cents a week. Now is the time to subscribe.

Bank Opened.

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CITY COUNCIL.

A Lively Meeting which Terminated Rather Abruptly.

In the absence of His Worship through sickness, Coun. Pearse was moved to the chair; all other Councillors present.

The minutes of last meeting were read and adopted.

COMMUNICATIONS

From R. H. Selling, claiming damages on account of street improvements by which his fence was thrown down and his orchard damaged by cattle and goats. Referred to Street Committee.

From 102 ratepayers asking for the continuation or opening up of Birdcage walk to Beacon Hill. Referred to Street Committee for report.

From 9 ratepayers, asking that Parkington street be opened up.

From Louis Willie, enclosing cheque for $20, asking for use of Johnson, street opposite Grand Pacific Hotel, for building purposes.

From Willis Bond, enclosing $10, asking use of street to move a building from Douglas and Herald street. Granted.

From Geo. Hargreaves, asking further instructions in regard to his appointment as engineer for high and low reservoirs. After some discussion communication was referred to the Water Committee to instruct Mr. Hargraves as to the size, capacity and site in accordance with Mr. Pickering's report. From A. Henderson, asking leave to move earth on Yates street near the school. Referred to Street Committee with power to act.

From P. Dempster, asking to have ditches filled in on Niagara and Oswego streets for building purposes. Referred to Street Committee.

From Robert Mason, offering to remove earth at the head of Yates street. Referred to Street Committee.

From Turner, Beeton & Co., with regard to supplying of water pipes, claiming expenses for telegrams, etc. Referred to Water Works Committee for report.

TABULATED EXPENDITURE.

Coun. Grant moved the first reading of a by-law to divide up the expenditure in tabular form, showing each appropriation.

SPECIAL CHARTERS.

Coun. Higgins moved that a special committee be appointed to place the city under a special charter instead of being under the Municipalities Act. Such committee to consist of Couns. Pearse, Higgins and Harris. Coun. Higgins stated that arrangements had been made for a private conference between the council and the members of the Legislative Assembly on Thursday evening at 7:30 p. m.

CONTRACTOR'S SURETY.

From P. J. Leech, City Surveyor, enclosing letter from Mr. Theo. Davie, on behalf of Mr. Braden, one of the sureties of Hugh H. McDonald, contractor for James Bay bridge. Reference was made to a letter of 17th January on the subject.

Coun. Higgins asked why the letter of 17th January had not been read. The clerk said there was no meeting; he had showed the letter to the Mayor and he had been told not to read it. Laid on the table.

STREET COMMITTEE.

Report of Street Committee to lay a six-foot sidewalk from King's road to Bay street, also from Herald to Blanchard streets; the time for completion of contract for James Bay bridge to be extended to April 15th, and stating that a new contract had been entered into by the contractor. Coun. Higgins stated that the new bondsmen were Messrs. Croft and Angus, and it was only owing to the bad weather that the contract had not been carried out. With regard to the former bondsmen, owing to the suppression of the letter of the 17th January they were exempt from liability.

Coun. Grant stated that he considered no contractor could have carried out the work in the weather which had ensued ever since the letting of the contract. With regard to the suppression of the letter of January 17th, he advocated awaiting the presence of the Mayor.

Coun. Higgins elicited from the Clerk that the Mayor had refused to sign the new bonds, and he would press for the adoption of the report and request the Council to instruct the Clerk to affix the corporation seal to the said bonds in the absence of the Mayor through sickness.

Report adopted.

POLICE REPORT.

The report of the Police Committee in regard to the inquiry into a charge preferred by Jno. E. Vrooman against Supt. Bloomfield, that he had allowed two Chinese girls to escape from the power of the police, that there was no evidence of corruption, but great carelessness. Report received and filed.

WATER WORKS.

Coun. Harris asked if there were any tracings of plans submitted by Messrs. Pickering & Crompton. On being assured in the negative, he moved that tracings be made, as no Councillor could study the matter thoroughly, as they could not take the plans away from the hall with them. He estimated that the cost would be $50.

Coun. Barnard advocated having the plans verified by some American or English engineer.

Coun. Harris said there was talent enough here to attend to anything of that kind without sending the money out of country.

Coun. Grant reported having sent for carbon holders.

NOTICE OF MOTION.

Coun. Harris moved that the sum of $200 be set aside for removing the rock taken out from the reservoir site.

Coun. Grant wished to leave it to the Water Works Committee.

Coun. Vigelius wanted it done by contract.

Coun. Coughlan thought that no one could complain at the price. Motion carried.

Coun. Harris drew attention to the condition of the street at the south end of James Bay Bridge.

APPOINTMENT OF CITY OFFICERS.

A motion was made that the inside officers be appointed by ballot.

Coun. Barnard moved in amendment that the present officers be reappointed. The amendment was lost and original motion carried.

Coun. Higgins proposed J. D. Robinson as City Clerk, seconded by Coun. Styles and carried.

A question arose as to whether the chairman had a vote or not.

Coun. Higgins read from the act to show that he had only a casting vote in case of a tie.

Coun. Pearse left the chair, as he maintained he had a vote.

The clerk stated that it was illegal to appoint two chairmen the same evening.

Coun. Grant said as the chairman had left the chair he would leave his seat and the council being left without a quorum by the departure of Messrs. Grant, Barnard, Vigelius and Pearse, adjourned.

The Idaho.

The steamer Idaho, for which a number of passengers *en route* to Alaska are waiting in this city, left Astoria yesterday morning. If she comes direct to Victoria she will probably arrive to-night; but if she goes to Port Townsend she may not arrive until to-morrow morning. At present her whereabouts is unknown.

Award of Merit.

Mr. Colin McDonald, of Nanaimo, who sent a rifle of his own manufacture to the Indian and Colonial Exhibition, received a few days ago a handsomely lithographed diploma of merit.

Passengers by the Geo. E. Starr, today: L L Barlow, Mrs A G Day, C Van Ottershelt, Hon E Evans, M O Conwell and wife, J D Black, T Wilson, T N Strong, A B Williams, W Brown, E Miller, L D Campbell, Barnes, J H McNeil, M Rothschild, H Jackson, one Chinaman.

Lord Wolseley contributes the leading article in Macmillan's Magazine for March. It is on General R. E. Lee, whom he considers as the greatest American next to Washington.

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